

THREE DIE IN MINE CAVE-IN
UNIONTOWN, Pa., Aug. 18.—Three miners were killed by a fall of slag and coal at the Filbert mine of the H. C. Erick Coal Company near here Saturday afternoon.

LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN

Girls! Make bleaching lotion if skin is sunburned, tanned or freckled

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle, sunburn and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of Orchard White for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles, sunburn, windburn and tan disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

SHORT SKIRTS IN VOGUE STILL, PARIS FASHIONS DECREE

But American Buyers Say They'll Be Worn Some Shorter in U. S.

PARIS, Aug. 18.—Paris' first real display of styles since the war began is being attended by about 300 American buyers, who, however, are showing themselves to be more independent of the dictates of French dressmakers than ever before.

The new models show brown is again in marked favor. Soft materials are used generally with flounces and pinnies, and the designs of the new models tend toward a strictly feminine appearance. There is not the slightest suggestion of the masculine tailor-made effects of the past.

Short Skirts Stay.
Paris is clinging to skirts hanging seven to eight inches from the ground.

American buyers, the dressmakers say, are ridiculing the shortness of the gowns, though frankly admitting it is likely American women will get compromise lengths. One of the prominent American buyers said today:

"No well-formed woman looks well in a really long skirt, and it cannot be graceful."

But he laughed at a dressmaker's suggestion that Americans want long skirts because American women do not have pretty ankles. He said:

"American women have the prettiest ankles and feet in the world, and they also are the best shod, but they realize that extremely short skirts are ridiculous and they believe in moderation."

Full Hips Decreed.
The styles generally show a slight fullness on the hips in the form of soft panniers, with pleats and accordion pleats. Flounces are applied in such a way as to preserve the outline of the figure and the straight hem of the skirt.

Collars are high in many cases, and if cut open are adjusted so they may be buttoned close to the throat. Coats with afternoon costumes come just below the hips and follow Dick Turpin lines, by means of a girdle of gauging. Skirts are narrower at the feet, giving a peg-top suggestion. Fur collars reach to the eyes.

Hats for fall and winter are large and small, but in all cases will frame the face. Velvet is the most popular fabric for hats, and trimmings will be of ostrich feathers, ospreys, and monkey fur.

'LLOYD GEORGE' THREATENS TO BREAK UP 'BIG FOUR'
MONTGOMERY, Ala., Aug. 18.—"Premier Lloyd George," game cock, value \$10,000, disappeared between Demopolis and Selma today while H. F. Snow, who had custody of the "big four," was conveying the birds from the cock sale at Demopolis to Montgomery. At Selma, Mr. Snow checked the roosters up. He found Wilson, Clemenceau and Orlando in their cages, but the representative of the British premier was missing.

"Lloyd George" was found in Montgomery several hours later. Misplacement of his cage by an expressman is said to have been the cause of his mysterious disappearance. The "big four" roosters are now on exhibition at the Montgomery chamber of commerce.

Swift & Company's sales of Beef in Washington, D. C., for the week ending Saturday, Aug. 16, 1919, averaged as follows: Domestic Beef, 18.46 cents—Adv.

Let the Wedding Bells Ring Out

By JEAN KNOTT.



HYATTSVILLE NEWS

Dr. Johnstone Asks Sufferers From Whooping Cough to Stay Away From Public Places.

HYATTSVILLE, Md., Aug. 18.—Dr. Robert B. Johnstone, town health officer, has issued a statement in which he urges persons suffering with whooping cough not to appear in public places.

Capt. Edward R. Halloran, son of Mayor and Mrs. Matthew F. Halloran, has arrived in Hoboken, N. J., from overseas, according to telegraphic advices received by his parents. Captain Halloran went across in July, 1917, as a sergeant in the military corps. He was commissioned a second lieutenant in the aviation section of the signal corps, and subsequently advanced to captain in that branch.

The Hyattsville baseball team was defeated yesterday by the Laurel nine, 9 to 6. Holden and Halloran, who pitched for the locals, gave good exhibitions, but were accorded poor support. The locals play their next game Saturday, when the team representing Davidsonville, Anne Arundel county, is scheduled to appear here.

The latest to announce themselves candidates for political office in Prince George's county are Frank M. Stephen, of Riverdale, who has entered the lists for one of the Democratic nominations for the house of delegates, and R. Hugh Perry, of Nottingham district, who aspires to one of the Democratic nominations for county commissioner. John M. Bowie, of Mitchellville, of Queen Anne district, has filed his certificate of candidacy for one of the Republican nominations for county commissioner. Today the supervisors of elections for the county are sitting at Upper Marlboro to receive for the last time certificates of candidacy.

Maynard Roberts, of Landover, this county, has purchased the property of William H. Anglin in Hyattsville. Mr. Anglin is to remove to Brentwood, where he has bought property.

Wholesale Selling Prices of Beef in Washington

Following are the average wholesale prices of beef realized by Swift & Company from sales to the trade in the city of Washington for the week ending May 17, 1919, to the week ending August 16, 1919, as published in the newspapers.

| Week Ending | Price Per Cwt. |
|------------------|----------------|
| May 17th..... | \$22.82 |
| May 24th..... | 21.80 |
| May 31st..... | 20.72 |
| June 7th..... | 20.10 |
| June 14th..... | 18.32 |
| June 21st..... | 18.93 |
| June 28th..... | 19.33 |
| July 5th..... | 18.79 |
| July 12th..... | 19.34 |
| July 19th..... | 19.85 |
| July 26th..... | 19.49 |
| August 2d..... | 17.41 |
| August 9th..... | 18.63 |
| August 16th..... | 18.46 |

*Through clerical error this price originally appeared as \$17.70.

Swift & Company
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ROCKVILLE NEWS

Opposing Factions Agree on Candidates for House of Delegates.

ROCKVILLE, Md., Aug. 18.—If plans of some leaders of the opposing Democratic factions in Montgomery county do not go astray, the Democratic nominees for the house of delegates, who will be named at the primary election on September 8, will be J. Furr White, of Poolesville; Crittenden H. Walker, of Gaithersburg; Charles G. Griffith, of Beallsville, and G. Rust Canby, of Coleville.

At a conference of leaders of the two factions here a few days ago, an agreement was entered into whereby White and Walker, representing the White faction, and Griffith and Canby, identified with the Peter or anti-Lee faction, are to be supported by both factions, or, at least, by portions of the two factions which the leaders can control.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dawson, of Rockville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Peter Dawson, to Thomas H. H. Walker, of Washington and Sandy Spring, this county, the wedding to take place in the late autumn.

Edwin W. Broome, county superintendent of public schools, has announced the appointment of the following teachers of colored public schools: Principal—School at Quince Orchard, Louise V. Hicks; school at Poolesville, Hester Elwood; school at Sellman, Vaughneta E. Scott; school at Seneca, Margaret C. Browne; school at Burnt Mills, Gertrude M. Moxley; school at River Road, Margaret Dorsey; Assistant—School at Sandy Spring, Esther C. Holland and Lillian Johnson.

The annual convention of the Montgomery County Christian Temperance Union will be held at Washington Grove next Thursday, beginning at 10 a. m.

The supervisors of elections have appointed Robert I. Young Democratic clerk of election for the Second precinct of Gaithersburg district, in place of Roland N. Walker, resigned.

Henry C. Chaney, of Coleville, selected by a recent conference of Montgomery county Republicans as one of the Republican candidates for judge of the orphan's court for the county, has declined the place. The vacancy on the ticket will be filled by the Republican State central committee for the county.

It has been announced that Harry Nice, Republican candidate for governor, and the Republican candidates for attorney general, clerk of the court of appeals, and comptroller of the State treasury will visit Rockville fair on August 28.

GERMAN ENVOY SEEKS BRITISH HOME IN ROME

ROME, Aug. 18.—Dr. Berger, former secretary of the German legation at the Holy See, has been reappointed to that post, and is seeking to get the Tordin palace as a residence for the German legation, according to the Corriere della Sera today.

This palace, which is a magnificent specimen of renaissance period architecture, formerly housed the British ambassadors to the Vatican, including Sir Thomas Moore and Cardinal Wolsey. The English colony here has voiced a strong protest against German occupation of the palace.

R. R. IMPROVEMENTS ALMOST COMPLETE AT CUMBERLAND

CUMBERLAND, Md., Aug. 18.—The rail for the double track of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company of one mile along the site of the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company is nearly completed. The new right of way is along the bank of the Potomac river. It was started in 1916, but had been delayed during the war.

The present main track opposite the mill will be removed and a boulevard estimated to cost about \$13,000 will be made. The new trackway, concrete retaining walls and other improvements will cost \$30,000.

PACKERS SAY U. S. REFUSED OFFER TO SELL ARMY GOODS

Feared Dumping "Surplus" On Market Would Hurt Farmer.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—In view of confusing statements concerning the surplus food stocks being sold by the War Department, the Institute of American Meat Packers has made the following statement:

"As a natural consequence of the armistice, the War Department found itself in possession of canned meats and vegetables beyond its needs. The meats were not packaged in commercial style, but in a form unattractive to consumers, and therefore ill-adapted to ordinary marketing channels.

"The disposal of these stocks presented a difficult and a tedious problem to the Government. For some time little progress was made toward a solution.

"Then the authorities having this matter in charge asked representatives of the packers, technically trained in marketing problems, to offer advice as to how disposal might be effected economically.

"The goods in question were originally packaged for export. To this purpose they were well adapted. Furthermore, Mr. Hoover, directing the foreign relief work, had set a suggestive example in the cases of Italy and France by buying surplus governmental stocks.

"Accordingly, the packers suggested,

in response to the Government's request for advice, that the surplus stocks be acquired by Mr. Hoover for use abroad.

"The Government seemed to feel that this counsel was commendable also by the domestic situation with reference to livestock production. Stockmen who had raised cattle in order that our armies and our allies might be fed, were confronted by a cessation of beef exports. Consequently the domestic supply of beef exceeded the demand. But cattle started in response to foreign needs were still coming to market.

"In this situation it was thought that possibly the cattle market would be demoralized and the farmers purged for their co-operation with the Government if the army supplies should be dumped on the domestic market.

"When asked for an alternative

suggestion, the packers offered to place their distributive machinery at the use of the Government for disposal of the so-called surplus stocks. The packers asked no profit, but volunteered to place their facilities at the use of the Government at cost.

"Subsequently the matter of the surplus stocks was referred to the quartermaster's department for definite action, and the packers' suggestions were not adopted."

Cuticura Soap
and Ointment for
Skin Troubles
All druggists, Soap M. Ointment M. & S. Taylor St. Chicago, Ill. U. S. Patents, 1,111,111, 1,111,112, 1,111,113.

Safe Drug Stores

In matters pertaining to public health, Liggett's lead and try to anticipate legislative action.

Years before laws restricting their sale were enacted, we stopped selling liquors and narcotics, excepting when prescribed by a physician.

Liggett's
THE SAFE DRUG STORES

Rexall Stores

Tuesday Shopping Bulletin

35c
Apron
Gingham
21c

Standard quality in blue checks of various sizes.

New Serge Dresses
\$15.90 to \$49.90

The trim, graceful dress of serge is more securely enshrined than ever in the Fashion gallery of the coming season. The new ones show fresh surprises of line and embellishment, the majority being richly braided in scrolls. Others are heavily embroidered.

Russian blouse, tunic and straight-line models are equally numerous. Navy and black.



New Fall Hats
Of Panne Velvet and Lyons Velvet
\$4.95 \$7.95
\$9.95

Anticipating the new season with a typical King's Palace collection of clever Millinery. We know you'll be taken with the rich materials and smart styling of these new hats, no less than with the modest prices. Sailors, tams, pokes, on-side flares, trimmed with feathers, ostrich novelties, flowers and ribbons. Black, faced with colors; also blue, brown, taupe, etc. Why not be among the first to wear a new fall hat?

New Silk Hosiery

At Very Inviting Prices
Gordon H-300 superb thread silk full-fashioned hose in white, black and navy. The hose of \$2.50 national esteem.

Women's Thread Silk, full-fashioned hose in black, white, brown, russet, navy and gray. 98c

Women's Thread Silk, full-fashioned hose, with garter top. Black, white and cordovan. Worth \$2.25. Special \$1.79

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, full-fashioned; black, white and colors; regular sizes. Also seamed back silk lisle hose; black, white and colors in regular and extra sizes. 59c

KING'S PALACE
810-818 Seventh Street

New Wash Goods
\$10 Wool-Finished Blankets \$7.98

These excellent blankets not only look and feel like wool, but also rival the expensive all-wool kinds in warmth and service. Striking block and plaid patterns in tan, gray, blue and yellow. Sizes 72x82, 72x80 and 70x80 for large beds.

\$8.00 Comfort Blankets, size 72x84. In richly colored Indian patterns for bath and lounging robes. \$4.98

\$5.00 Wool-finished Blankets of good weight and soft, fluffy touch; 70x80. Gray, tan and white. \$3.98

Pair of \$7.00, \$8.00 and \$9.00 Bed Comforts covered with sateen and cambric and filled with sanitary cotton. \$4.98

\$5.00 Fall-size Bed Comforts, heavy quality, covered with cambric, in floral patterns. \$3.98

\$8.00 Large Colored Satin Marseilles Bedspreads, in pink, blue and gold. Scaloped cut corners. \$6.98

or plain hemmed. \$6.98

VACATION LUGGAGE

Strong fiber suit cases, in tan and black. Reinforced corners. Two straps, safe brass lock and two clasps. Shirt fold inside. 24-inch size. Built for service. \$4.98

Genuine cowhide traveling bag, leatherette lined. As durable as it is stylish. For Tuesday we offer this good bag \$7.98

Boys' School Suits

In an Early Special Sale at Couldn't Be Bought for \$8.98 Today to Sell for \$12.00. Less Than \$12.00.

2-pants fancy cloth suits, in brown, gray and blue mixtures, Crompton's famous cravenette corduroy suits, built to stand rough usage. Waistline models, with belt. All sizes 7 to 18.

SAVE—buy school clothes now.

Wash Goods
50c, 59c and 75c Staple and Novelty Materials

29c
Dress Gingham and Chambrays—Mill-ends of fresh, new perfect qualities; lengths for waists, dresses and children's wear. Stripes, checks and plain colors.

Yard-wide White Chiffon Voile, beautiful, soft, clinging quality reduced for clearance.

Colored Sheer Fabrics, including plain and fancy voile, colored organdy and colored dotted swiss.



Marked Economies in Sheets

\$2.00 Wearwell Sheets, \$1.79

Seamless bleached Sheets of known superiority. 81x90 size for large double beds.

Welded Sheets, \$1.00
Heavy bleached Sheets with durable welded seam in center. 72x90, for double or three quarter beds.

Ironclad Sheets, \$1.69
81x90, strictly perfect. Strong serviceable quality, with deep hem.

Pillowcases, 33c
Lot of 42x36 and 45x36 excellent quality cases, finished with wide hems.

A Timely Sale of Black Satins

Black satin is the fashion craze for autumn—its rich splendor and all-around utility making it admirably adapted to the gloriously original styles of the new season.

Women who take advantage of Tuesday's special offerings will not only effect a saving on present prices, but also forestall almost certain advances later.

\$2.50 Yard-wide Black Taffeta, \$1.98
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\$3.50 Sunday Excursion
Including War Tax
Atlantic City
Sunday, August 24
SPECIAL THROUGH TRAIN
Via Delaware River Bridge
Leaves Washington 12:30 A. M.
Returning leaves Atlantic City 6:00 P. M.
Sale of tickets begins Thursday, August 21.
The right is reserved to limit the sale of tickets, for this excursion to the capacity of equipment available.

Meats in Storage Not "Hoarded"

Live stock is a seasonal crop—like cereals and grains. It is "ripe" and is marketed in larger quantities in certain months. This causes a natural oversupply at one time and a natural shortage at another.

During the time of oversupply Swift & Company places some of the meat in cold storage, against the season of short production.

This is a necessity in order that the nation's ration of meat—58,000,000 pounds every day in the year—may be forthcoming as the consumer requires it.

This is not hoarding, not price manipulation, not market control. It is mere common sense.

United States Bureau of Markets' figures of stocks of frozen and cured meats July 1 are being used as a basis for Department of Justice investigations in many cities. When properly analyzed, based on Swift & Company's stocks, these figures show:

- 62 per cent (approximate) is pork and beef cuts, etc., cured and in process of curing. It takes 30 to 90 days in pickle or salt to complete the curing process.
- 12 per cent is frozen pork, of which more than three-quarters is to be cured in the next few months.
- 7 per cent is lard. This is a normal supply and only four-fifths of a pound per capita, and much of it will have to go to supply European needs.
- 19 per cent is frozen beef and lamb, and miscellaneous meats, part of which is owned by the Government and was intended chiefly for overseas shipment. If this were all diverted to domestic trade channels it would be only 2½ lbs. per capita—a 5 days' supply.

100%

From this it will be seen that "meats in storage" represent unfinished goods in process of curing and the working supply necessary to assure the consumer a steady flow of finished product.

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Washington Local Branch, 10-14 Center Market
D. T. Dutrow, Manager

